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SUBJECT: KURDS AND BARZANI

1. IN ADDITION TO DAN SCHORR'S TV REPORT ON CBS SATURDAY NIGHT AND THIS MORNING CONCERNING ALLEGED U.S. ARMS ASSISTANCE TO KURDS, STORY WAS ALSO PLAYED ON FRONT PAGE BY WASHINGTON POST IN SUNDAY EDITION. DANA ADAMS SCHMIDT HAS ALSO REPORTED IN MONDAY'S CHRISTIAN SCIENCE MONITOR THAT BARZANI HAS BEEN IN UNITED STATES AS GUEST OF CIA FOR MEDICAL TREATMENT, THAT UNDER SECRETARY SISCO SAW HIM DURING HIS STAY,
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AND THAT BARZANI WAS UNHAPPY AT RETURNING TO IRAN.

2. QUESTIONS OF AID TO KURDS AND BARZANI'S VISIT WERE NOT
RAISED AT NOON PRESS CONFERENCE NOVEMBER 3. DEPARTMENT
SPOKESMAN HAS FOLLOWING GUIDANCE SHOULD QUESTIONS BE RAISED.
RE BARZANI VISIT, "MR. SISCO MADE A PERSONAL CALL ON BAR-
ZANI, WHO LIVES IN IRAN, IN THE COURSE OF BARZANI'S VISIT
TO THE UNITED STATES FOR MEDICAL TREATMENT. WE HAVE GREAT
RESPECT FOR BARZANI." CONCERNING U.S AID TO KURDS, "I HAVE
NO COMMENT TO MAKE ON THESE ALLEGATIONS., YOU SHOULD BE
GUIDED ACCORDINGLY. KISSINGER

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